

Mr. Cottman obtained leave to bring in a bill, to confirm an act, entitled An act to amend the constitution and form of government as it relates to the division of Somerset county into election districts; passed at December session, 1831; ordered, that Messrs. Cottman, Teackle and Jones report the same.

Mr. Bruce obtained leave to bring in a bill to be entitled An act to make valid and effective, in certain cases, Sheriffs' bonds; ordered, that Messrs. Bruce, Pratt and Bruff, report the same.

Mr. Hope submitted the following resolution:

By the House of Delegates,

January 8th, 1833.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to the electors of President and Vice President of the United States, their secretary and officers, or their orders, the amount of the several sums due to them, and for which they may obtain certificates from the Chairman of the Committee on Claims.

Which was read a first and second time by special order, assented to, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Cottman, Chairman of the Committee on Elections and Privileges, delivered the following report:

The committee on Elections and Privileges, Report, That they have examined and inspected the returns of the Judges of Election for the several counties, and for the cities of Baltimore and Annapolis, and find by the said returns, the following persons are elected, declared and duly returned as members of the House of Delegates, to wit:

*For St. Mary's county*—Benjamin G. Harris, Richard Thomas, William J. Blakistone, and Benedict I. Heard.

*For Kent county*—William Hayne, Unit Chandler, Jas. P. Wickes, and Garrett Garrettson.

*For Calvert county*—James Kent, Thomas Billingsly, Alexander Somerville, and James S. Morsell, jr.

*For Charles county*—Wm. D. Merrick, Walter M. Millar, Thos Rogerson, and Theodore Mudd.

*For Baltimore county*—James Turner, Hugh Ely, Zachariah H. Worthington, and John B Holmes.

*For Talbot county*—John Stevens, Solomon Mullikin, George Dudley, and Joseph Bruff.

*For Somerset county*—Littleton U. Dennis, Joseph S. Cottman, Littleton D. Teackle, and Isaac D. Jones.

*For Dorchester county*—Jos. Nicols, Martin L. Wright, John Travers (of John) and Levin Richardson.